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NEWS AND VIEWS...

And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

Troy Martin, publisher of The Canyon News, in one of his recent columns points out one of the biggest problems facing newspaper publishers and editors—that of being purveyors of bad news.

Now most of us in the newspaper business in West Texas know Troy as being one who never dodges an issue and in fact probably goes out of his way to find them. But his column does point out the problems faced by all newspapers in dealing with public officials and probably the problem is greater the smaller the community. Most all of us find it easier to deal objectively with a stranger than we do a friend.

All of us at one time or another have gotten upset with some of the newsgatherers in this land of ours and justifiably so, but maybe Troy's column will give us a better understanding of the newsman's point of view.

"I've been in the newspaper business for 28 years and I've taken my share of abuse as a purveyor of bad news.

"This is not even new under the sun. In times of old the messenger who brought bad news to a potentate was immediately put to death.

"A runner once survived unspeakable hardship in crossing the frozen Russian steppes to tell Tamerlane, crippled ruler of Samarkand, that one of his armies had suffered a crushing defeat in the south.

"Crippled though he was, Tamerlane rewarded his messenger for his devotion to duty by kicking him to death on the spot.

"We simply can't fill the newspaper with stories about how Canyon High School students went to school Wednesday and no one broke the rules lending to a very peaceful day for the teachers and administrators.

"Newspapers report news about like you talk to your relatives and friends.

"What wife is going to pass up telling her husband about a juicy affair between two neighbors in order to get on with the big news that she had a wonderful nap and went to the grocery store that afternoon?

"You can be certain that your wife will tell you about the hot water heater blowing up before she will impart the news that she's had her electric range a year with no trouble at all.

"There's something else I've learned in staying alive in the business for more than a quarter century.

"By and large representatives of government from the mayor of a hamlet to the President of the U.S. expect the newspapers to be cheerleaders. They are surprised and hurt when the media gets on with reporting the facts instead of trying to make the administration look good.

"If the media is really working, all the closed meetings in the world are not going to keep it from getting the news. If anything it is going to call attention to something not being quite right with the body that feels it must meet beyond the ears and eyes of those footing the bill.

"Richard Nixon tried for months to make the world believe that Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein who began unraveling the Watergate case were no better than rabble rousers behind typewriters. But when the sordid truth finally came out, it was Nixon who was trying to create a smokescreen.

"I pride myself that The Canyon News is the natural adversary, in a professional rather than a personal manner, of every governmental agency and official, elected and appointed.

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SIGNS PRE-ENROLLMENT—Johnny Jones, outstanding athlete for the Hamlin Pied Pipers the past four years, signed a pre-enrollment application with the University of Texas Longhorns. With Johnny are his mother, Mrs. Milton Jones, and his coach, David Bonds, Hamlin High School Athletic Director. Spike Dykes, offensive line coach for the Longhorns, was here early Tuesday morning, the opening day for the signing of pre-enrollment applications.

Johnny Jones Signs With Texas Longhorns Tuesday

"We feel like we got one of the best in the country," was the statement made here Tuesday morning by Spike Dykes, offensive line coach for the University of Texas Longhorns, when he got Hamlin's Johnny Jones' name on a pre-enrollment application for the Longhorns.

Dykes was in Hamlin early Tuesday morning, the opening day for the signing of pre-enrollment applications.

Dykes said, "We expect great things from this young athlete, who we regard as being one of the top running backs not only in Texas but from coast to coast."

Dykes was only one of many college coaches to court the outstanding high school performer since his sophomore year.

Johnny, who not only is one of the top football players in the state, is also an outstanding basketball and track performer. He was first named All-District in his freshman year in football and has repeated this honor each of the following three years. He has been named All-Area for three years and All-State twice.

Johnny helped to lead the Pipers to two State Championships in track and has won the State AA title in the 100-yard dash the past two years and placed second in the 220-yard dash his sophomore year and first his junior year. His best clocked time in the 100 is a 9.5.

In his four years of high school football here in Hamlin, Johnny has helped lead his

team to three district titles and one bi-district title. He has an 8.8 yard rushing average for his four years with his best year coming as a junior when he averaged 10.6 yards per carry.

He played in 42 games during his four years and carried the ball 665 times for 5,849 yards. His top rushing year was again his junior year when he carried the ball 211 times for 2,246 yards. As a freshman Johnny carried the ball 101 times for 694 yards, an average of 6.9. During his sophomore year he made 151 trips with the ball for 1,410 yards with an average of 9.3 per carry and as a senior he picked up 1,672 yards in 196 tries for an average of 8.5.

During his four years he went well over the 1,000-yard mark three times—1,410 in 1972, 2,246 in 1973, and 1,672 yards in 1974.

Johnny's longest run from scrimmage came in 1972 against Stamford when he went 90 yards for a touchdown. While he saw only limited action as a kickoff and punt returner he returned a kickoff against Colorado City in 1972 for 80 yards and a punt for 70 yards against Clyde in 1973.

His best single games were 25 carries for 270 yards against Stamford in 1973, 25 carries for 284 yards against Ballinger in 1973, 14 carries for 269 yards against Anson in 1973, and 27 carries for 316 yards against Cisco in 1974.

The girls basketball team lost the Junior High District Championship to Albany Monday as the local girls were edged out, 32-31, in the Zone playoff at Albany. The local eighth grade boys lost to Hawley here Monday in the first game of a two out of three Zone playoff. Hawley won, 38-32.

The boys will travel to Hawley tonight (Thursday) for the second game which is scheduled to start at 7 p.m. If a third game is needed it will be played at Hawley Saturday evening.

Hamlin won both the boys and girls Western Zone championships while Albany won the girls Eastern Zone title and Hawley won the boys Eastern Zone. The district rules call for a two-out-of-three playoff for the championship, but both Albany and Hamlin agreed on a one-game playoff for the girls title.

The girls finished the season undefeated in their zone play and were 9-3 for the season while the boys were also undefeated in their zone play and are now 7-3 for the season.

Baird Takes Both Titles In JV Tournament Here

Baird captured both championship trophies here Saturday evening in the Hamlin Junior Varsity tournament with two-point victories over the Hamlin JV teams. The Baird girls defeated Hamlin, 32-30, for the girls championship and then the Baird boys edged out the Hamlin "A" JV's in the

finals, 56-54.

Albany won both consolation trophies as their girls defeated Aspermont, 44-31, and their boys defeated Colorado City, 55-50.

The first round of play got

underway here last Thursday with the Baird girls defeating Aspermont, 46-26. This was followed by the Baird boys taking the Aspermont boys, 63-41. The Rotan girls defeated Albany, 45-40, and then the Rotan boys defeated Albany, 39-38. The Hamlin "A" team (the regular Hamlin JV team) defeated Old Glory, 73-38, and in the final game of the evening, the Hamlin "B" team defeated Colorado City, 75-39.

In the second round play

here Saturday morning,

Albany boys defeated Old

Feb. 4.

Glory, 62-34, and then the Hamlin girls defeated Rotan, 44-33. In the next game Colorado City defeated Aspermont, 68-59, and this

was followed by the Hamlin "A" team defeating Rotan, 52-37. Baird defeated the Hamlin "B" team, 69-59, in the final game of the second round.

Opening the action in the final round, Albany won the consolation championship with a 44-31 victory over Aspermont. This was followed by the boys consolation game with Albany defeating Colorado City, 55-50. Baird edged out the Hamlin girls in the finals, 32-30, and then the Baird boys defeated the Hamlin boys, 56-54.

The dinner will be served in Fellowship Hall. The menu will be fried chicken, peas and carrots, potato casserole, tossed salad, Louberta's hot rolls, assorted pies, iced tea and coffee. Plates will be \$2.25 each.

TO HOST COAHOMA—

Hamlin to Put Titles On Line Here Friday

District 6-AA title hopes for the Pipers and Piperettes will be on the line here Friday night when they host Coahoma. Both teams will go into the game Friday evening undefeated in second round play and both Hamlin teams need a victory to make it into a playoff game with the first round winners.

Both squads captured victories over Anson Tuesday evening on the Tiger's home court to stay in contention for a spot in the Bi-District playoffs. Anson and Coahoma tied in the first round of boys play and would have to play off the tie if the Pipers win over Coahoma and then defeat Colorado City the following Friday. The winner of the Anson-Coahoma game then would play the Pipers for a Playoff berth.

Coahoma won the first round in the girls bracket and a win by the Piperettes here Friday night would put the two teams in a contest to decide the representative in the Playoffs. The game here Friday with Coahoma will be the final district contest for the girls as they defeated Colorado City before the Christmas holidays.

Four Pipers made it in double figures as they edged out the Anson Tigers Tuesday, 67-64, with Delbert

Thompson leading the scoring with 22 points. The Pipers trailed at the end of the first period, 17-15, but then pulled ahead by one point at half-time, 36-35, and then increased their lead to six at the end of the third quarter, 53-47. The Tigers closed the gap to three points by the end of the game.

Scoring for the Pipers were Jones 19, Rowland 11, Brown 11, Rodgers 2, Thompson 22, and Reynolds 2. Tennison was high for the Tigers with 17 and other Tigers scoring were: Booker 6, Guffey 3, Jackson 16, Reeves 6, Tubbs 5, Watkins 2 and Watts 9.

The Piperettes defeated Winters 65-43, with Elberta Cork scoring 26 points to take the scoring honors. Also scoring for the Piperettes were: K. Hooper 20, E. Hooper 2, Covington 3, Gregory 2, Hollis 2, and Mehaffey 9.

Hamlin won the Boys JV game, 56-29.

Buford Bigham Enters City Council Race

Buford Bigham filed Tuesday afternoon for a spot on the Hamlin City Council.

Bigham is an engineering technician with the Texas Highway Department. He has been employed by THD for 23 years.

The three incumbents seeking reelection are A. E. Killion Jr., Robert Fowler and Mike Byerly. Byerly was recently appointed to fill the unexpired term of George Campbell who resigned.

Anyone desiring to file for a place on the ballot may contact John Steele, City Secretary, at City Hall.

Childhood Appraisal Available

Early Childhood Appraisal evaluation services will be made available through the SBDC office in Aspermont at 817-989-2528.

Salary is to be set according to qualifications, no experience is necessary and is equal opportunity employer, he said.

Scouts Given Flag During Program Here

The local Boy Scout Troop received a United State flag from the Woodmen of the World here Monday night during a Court of Honor ceremony. The presentation was made by Mike Rish who also gave a presentation on the history of the flag.

Local scouts who received rank advancements during the Court of Honor were Steven Campbell, second class; Don Pearce, second class; Claud Scires, second class; Wayne Wheat, second class; Tim Hawkins, first class; and Russell Cary, Star rank.

During the meeting Scoutmaster Samuel C. Ferguson named Steve Carriker as the new assistant Scoutmaster for the troop.

Attending the ceremonies as guests were: Mrs. George Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, Ernest Jenkins, Randy Smith, and Earl Wishom, District Scout Executive of Abilene.

Here Today

Claude Thompson, missionary to Japan, and his wife will be featured at 7:30 services today (Thursday) at United Pentecostal Church, 219 N.E. Ave. A.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the church is extending an invitation to all to hear the missionaries. Mrs. Arthur Crabb is auxiliary president.

Elementary Basketball Tourney Set

The first Elementary Basketball Tournament will be held in the Hamlin gymnasium next Tuesday and Thursday, according to Coach Bill Grissom. Sixteen teams from the local Elementary School will be competing in the tourney with eight games scheduled each of the two nights.

Both the fourth and fifth grades will field four boys teams and four girls teams in the tourney with the action set to start at 5 each evening.

SHOPLIFTING MEANS...



YOU'RE BEING ROBBED!

Everyone pays for shoplifting. Even the shoplifter.

More than three billion dollars worth of merchandise is shoplifted each year from retail stores throughout the nation. To combat this staggering loss, millions of dollars are being spent by merchants for security guards, store detectives and electronic security systems. Police and court costs increase. To make up for the total shoplifting loss and security expense, we all pay higher prices. Increased court and police costs come out of our taxes.

The shoplifter is really robbing himself.

When a shoplifter makes a legitimate purchase, he pays the higher prices along with the rest of us. And his taxes help to support the higher police and court costs, too. But the shoplifter steals from himself in much more important ways. Advanced security systems mean more arrests and that means increased chances that the shoplifter will be caught. Here's where the shoplifter is really robbing from himself. He can go to jail. He may pay a large fine and court costs. His conviction for the crime of shoplifting

may become a permanent criminal record for the rest of his life. Since the average shoplifter is 14 to 18 years old, his criminal record may close many opportunities to him in the future. He may be turned down by a college or professional school. He may be turned down for a job. He may be turned down for a business for professional license. He may not even be able to travel to a foreign country. All because he has a criminal record. A record for the criminal act of shoplifting may haunt the shoplifter for the rest of his life—even if the item stolen was only a ten cent candybar.

Shoplifting is a crime.

The penalty for shoplifting varies, but all states regard shoplifting as a criminal act. Conviction of shoplifting can be punishable by 6 months to 7 years in prison or fines of \$500.00 to \$2000.00, or both a fine and prison term. **When the shoplifter commits his crime, he is stealing. He is robbing the store. His family. His friends. The entire community. And the shoplifter is robbing himself.**



4-H TV SERIES—The 4-H Foods and Nutrition Series, "Mulligan Stew," will be shown on KTXS-TV at 11 a.m. Saturday and will continue for six weeks.

Special 4-H TV Series To Be Aired

A special 4-H Foods and Nutrition series called "Mulligan Stew" will be shown in this area by KTXS-TV, according to Necy Wilburn, assistant County Extension Agent. The hour long show will be presented at 11 a.m. beginning this Saturday and will continue for six weeks.

The film is being provided by the Agricultural Extension Service of Texas and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Boys and girls who enroll in the TV series will be considered a member of Mulligan Stew 4-H Club.

Each child who enrolls will receive a member guide which provides numerous activities to reinforce and extend the educational value of the series. At the conclusion of the series, each child will be eligible for a completion certificate. Those interested are urged to contact their school teacher.

Homemakers See Fashion Show Monday

Four members of the Young Homemakers modeled fashions for the busy housewife at the Monday evening salad supper.

Mrs. Larry McCoy represented the cleaning housewife; Mrs. Ronnie Jeffrey modeled the perfect outfit for a night out; Mrs. Freddie Hubbard modeled sport clothes and Mrs. Roy Pritchard wore a peignoir set to represent the end to a perfect day.

Others attending were Mmes. Paul Frazier, Bobby Self, Mac Reid, Herman Daniell, David Giddings, Robert Moore, Joe Carter, and advisor Mrs. Pat Willoughby and a visitor, Mrs. Paul Spalding.

Texas Department of Agriculture home economists recommend adding basil, mace, marjoram, nutmeg or oregano to spinach for a gourmet touch.

Favorite Recipes

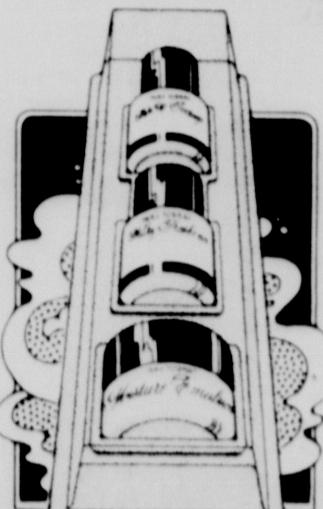
by Barbara Craig

This week's recipe is one for a moist chocolate cake that is made quite often by Mrs. Bryon Swank. She gives tips to buy buttermilk early so that it is more aged and well curdled. Also, the cake is stored in an airtight container and refrigerated. It becomes more moist the longer it is kept, she said.

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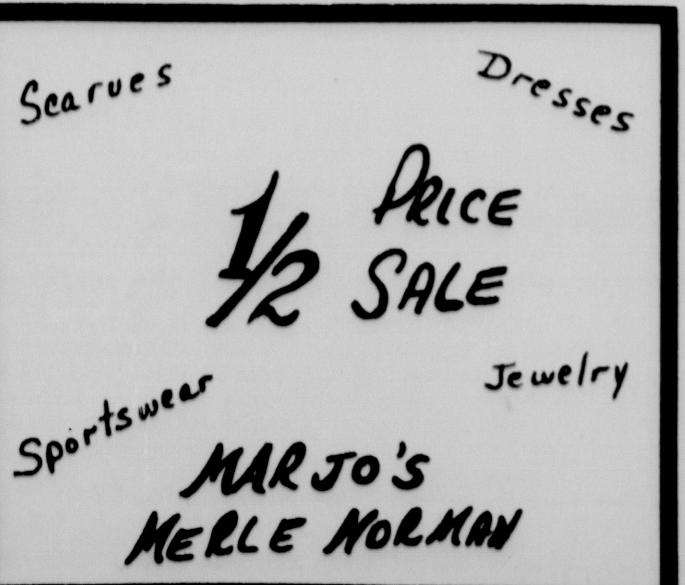
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Literary Club To Host Tea Here Friday

Members of Woman's Literary Club will host a Valentine Tea Friday at 2 p.m. at Holiday Lodge.

The program will include fellowship, music and poetry. Mrs. B.V. Newberry will be program director. Mrs. Lloyd Burkhardt will give the invocation. Mrs. E.E. Monkres will provide music and Mrs. Donald Young will present poetry.

Mrs. L.B. Bruner and Mrs. Arnold Griffin are in charge of arrangements. Refreshments will be under the direction of Mrs. Archie Carson Jr. and Mrs. Virgil Steele.

Mrs. Weaver Gives LVNA Program Here

Members of the Hamlin Licensed Vocational Nurses Association, Div. 73, met Monday evening for a program presented by Mrs. O.H. Weaver Jr., local pharmacist.

Mrs. Fred Teichelman, president, presided. The LVNA of Texas seminar to be held Feb. 20-21 in Austin was announced. Co-sponsor of the program Feb. 21 on nursing care of the respiratory patient is the American Lung Association of Texas.

Open to all medical personnel, the program has been approved for 4.0 contact hours CE credit.

The Feb. 20 session is programmed for LVNA officer training and association activity. The afternoon session will be on child abuse.

Anyone desiring to register should contact the local president at 576-2596. Others attending the Monday meeting were Avis Teague, Carmon Herring, Elsie McCormack, Effie Miller, Annette Stuart, Toad Brown, Lettie Allen, Zelma Smith, Barbara Penaluna, and Martha Goolsby.

MOIST CHOCOLATE CAKE
Mrs. Byron Swank
1 c. Crisco
2 eggs
2 c. sugar
2½ c. flour
2 t. soda
1 c. buttermilk (well curdled)
½ c. cocoa
1 c. hot water
pinch of salt
1 t. vanilla

Sift flour, cocoa, salt and soda together one time. Cream shortening and sugar, add eggs (which have already been slightly beaten) with buttermilk; add dry ingredients and vanilla. Add hot water gradually. Pour in three greased and floured 9-inch pans. Bake for 25 minutes at 350 degrees. Cake will be moist at touch when done.

CREAM ICING
1½ pkgs. of powdered sugar
1½ sticks of butter or oleo
Approximately 10 to 12 T. milk
1½ t. vanilla

Cream together in mixer and frost top and sides of three layers. Sprinkle with pecans, shaved chocolate or other decoration.

Store cake in airtight container in refrigerator. The longer it is kept, the more moist it becomes.

The family that develops a satisfactory system for keeping records is likely to do a better job of planning and reaching family goals. Mrs. Doris Myers, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, points out.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF HAMLIN ANNOUNCES

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Garden Club Meets Today

The Hamlin Garden Club will meet at 2 p.m. today (Thursday) in the home of Mrs. Richard Young Sr. The program will be on arrangements.

Bridge Winners

Winning first place in the Hamlin Duplicate Bridge Club Tuesday evening were Mrs. Harvey Elkins and Mrs. Preston Morrow of Rotan. Second place went to Mrs.

Dale Lain and Mrs. Gene Knobel. Mrs. W.O. Willbanks and Mrs. W.L. Hunter Jr. won third.

Holiday Lodge Report

The Sunday worship service at Holiday Lodge at 2:30 p.m. was conducted by the First United Methodist Church. The Rev. Jim Smith, pastor, presented the message.

At this time a volunteer is needed for the beauty shop. Anyone interested in assisting residents in this way should call the Lodge.

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FROM THE FILES . . .

TWENTY YEARS AGO
(February 4, 1955)

Final work has been done on the big water filtration plant of the City of Hamlin at the pump station, two blocks west of the Santa Fe Railway depot, according to city officials.

Hamlin High School freshmen, who have commanded the two previous honor rolls issued for the 1954-55 school term, fell before the juniors and sophomores on the third six-week honor roll released last week by High School Principal B.V. Newberry.

Plasterers and painters this week were giving the O.D. Dillingham building, occupied by the City Hall, the Style Shop and the Western Ice Company a "face-lifting."

Benefit dance sponsored by the Witt Cabin Square Dance group for the March of Dimes given Saturday night netted \$107.10, according to Mr. and Mrs. I.R. Witt directors.

Eddie Blackwell, who makes his home at Lubbock with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Miller, last week enlisted for service in the U.S. Air Force. He formerly was a Hamlin resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kiser of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bond and children visited with their son and brother, John Jenkins and family near Levelland Sunday.

They attended the morning worship service of the Hodges Baptist Church, where Rev. Jenkins is pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green Jr. and son, Johnny, of Austin were here over the weekend visiting with relatives and friends. Young Green is attending the law school at the University of Texas.

TEN YEARS AGO
(February 4, 1965)

The Hamlin Piperettes will be one of 16 teams to compete in the 13th annual invitational tournament for girls at Hardin-Simmons University Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Otho Polk, tournament director, has announced.

The Pipers were knocked out of any chance for the District 5-A title here Tuesday night when they were defeated by the Winters Blizzards, 80-66. The Winters win put them

back in the lead for the honors with a 7-2 record.

"Founders Day" will be observed by the Hamlin Elementary Parent-Teacher Association at the meeting today at 4 p.m. in the primary cafeteria.

The West Texas Barrel Racing Association will meet here Feb. 21 for their monthly barrel race meet. Some 50 to 60 girls are expected to be here for the event to be held at the Hamlin Riding Club arena.

Representative Roy Arledge of Stamford has been appointed to five standing committees in the Texas House of Representatives by Speaker Ben Barnes this week. Arledge was assigned to Interstate Cooperation, Chairman; Livestock and Stock Raising; Motor Traffic; Oil, Gas and Mining; State Affairs.

The West Texas State University Stage Band Festival in Canyon Saturday will be the first competitive event of this year's twenty-one piece Piper stage band.

Friday morning twelve boys left on the annual FFA educational tour. The tour this year was to the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show.

NEWS AND VIEWS . . .

And What Have You

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"When anyone dons the purple what he does becomes very much the business of those who might be affected by his actions. Whether we supported him or not in his bid for office, it becomes our job to report on those actions and let the chips fall.

"The First Amendment is more than just a guarantee of a basic freedom. It intentionally made the press a legal representative of the people in the field of information.

"In our 200-year history as a nation separation of press and state has been guarded much more jealously than that of church and state.

"Attesting to this is the fact that a newspaper is not eligible for a government loan of any kind under any set of circumstances of which I am knowledgeable at the present time."

Neinda Philosopher Gets Riled Up Over Government Work Statistics

(Editor's note: The Neinda Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Route One claims he has found a new statistic, at least it's new to him.)

Dear editor:

I never have understood how the government economists can figure out down to the last decimal point what the cost of living index was last month. You know, say it went up 8.1 per cent, compared with 7.03 per cent the month before. Things like that.

I suppose the figures are gotten up by school teachers who can tell you that the top student's knowledge after four years of high school stands at 94.5 compared with the next in line or salutatorian's at 94.4. It's an exact science and leave it at that. Don't be checking up to that. Don't be checking up to see how things turned out ten years after graduation.

Anyway, those are statistics you can take or leave but there's another batch that has me puzzled. Government statisticians have just announced that productivity by the country's whole work force declined 5.1 per cent during the last three months of 1974.

How did the government get those figures? You talk about the C.I.A. snooping on private citizens, you mean to say somebody has been checking up on me and can tell you what my production level was during October, November and December of last year?

Furthermore, how many people in Hamlin do you think would like it known how much they really produced last year or yesterday for that matter? And how can the government tell whether you're producing or not? It might look like an editor for example was just sitting in a cafe drinking coffee when all the time his mind is racing, although I don't suppose the statisticians have figured out a gadget to tell actually how fast it's racing. People's minds, like windmills, turn at different rates of speed,

depending, sometimes of course, on which way the wind is blowing.

Now I know that some people are saying Congress is spending too much time investigating the C.I.A., the F.B.I., etc., but I'd like to see it look into how somebody found out how hard I worked last year. I believe Congress will be willing to do it. After all, if I was faced with solving the economic crisis I'd find something else to do.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Co. Agent Warns Against Using Salt for Melting Ice

Using salt to melt ice on sidewalks, streets and driveways can injure nearby trees, shrubs and lawn grass, says Kirby Clayton, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Salt may drain into the ground when ice melts and damage the root systems of nearby grass and shrubs," he points out.

"Salt in the root systems of trees can cause partial or complete burning of leaves and may result in the loss of valuable trees and shrubs. Patches of dead grass may also result. These effects may not show up until early summer," adds Clayton.

He suggests using ammonium nitrate fertilizer instead of salt to melt ice. Ammonium nitrate not only melts the ice, but fertilizes shrubs and plants in the lawn.

"Any commercial fertilizer that is high in nitrogen and potassium can be used."

"Care must be taken to use only enough fertilizer to melt the ice," cautions Clayton, "as high concentration of fertilizer in the soil can also damage plants."

Sand can also be used to melt ice on sidewalks and driveways. It provides good traction for cars and pedestrians and is no more damaging to floors and rugs than salt.

Putting forth a *Real* effort

A child's first attempts at printing require deep concentration and great effort. However, with patience and practice he becomes more adept and lettering is easier. Then he is ready for the next step, learning to write.

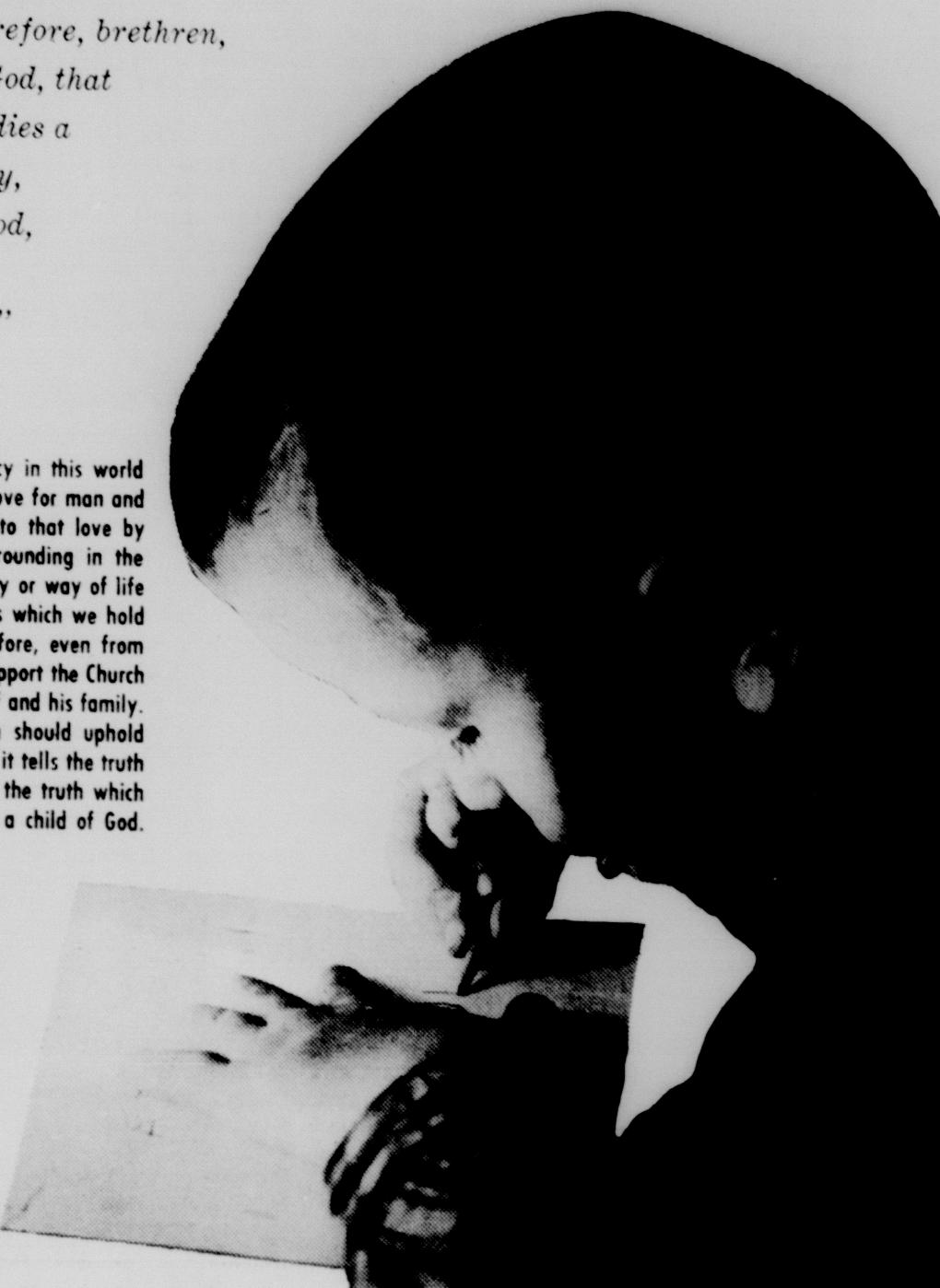
The Lord expects us to put forth an effort to improve ourselves.

"I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service."

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.



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NEWS FROM OLD GLORY

By BERNICE D. WHITE

Slow rains have been falling over this area during the weekend, and if we have a groundhog, he most certainly didn't see his shadow Sunday. There wasn't even one speck of sunshine at any time during the day.

Telephones have been on the blink, probably caused by the damp weather, therefore we are even more unaware than usual as to what is going on in the community.

Mrs. Charlie Letz hosted the Old Glory Variety Club in her home on Tuesday of last week. Eleven members were present. This included one

new member, Mrs. Tony Letz. Mrs. Letz joined the club at the previous meeting held in the home of Mrs. Allen Letz.

Three visitors were also present. They were Mrs. Louis Spitzer, Mrs. Jack Jones and Miss Kim Beil, who is here from Nevada visiting in the home of her grandmother.

After the business meeting the ladies enjoyed games of bridge, dominoes, and also refreshments.

Mrs. Garrett Spitzer will be the hostess for the next meeting Tuesday, Feb. 11.

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As It Looks From Here

OMAR BURLESON, M. C.
17th District, Texas

Washington, D. C.—On several occasions during the last Congress we discussed in this column the creation of a Joint House-Senate Budget Committee which has as its purpose a review in advance of spending levels of the Federal Government for the following year.

That Committee is now organized and expects to begin its studies and deliberations in the weeks ahead.

This effort is the next best thing to a Constitutional Amendment proposed by a number of us here in the Congress which would put the Government on a "pay as you go" basis. Such a Constitutional Amendment would be similar to that which we have in our own State of Texas, except there must be provided a waiver of such requirement in times of national emergency such as war.

To restate what has been said before, the purpose of the Committee is to set ceilings on expenditures related to revenues received in all forms of taxation. At the present time, revenues are estimated in the President's budget in the early part of the year and we will get those figures on February 3. In the same message, the President will lay out the amounts to be spent for the numerous programs of the Federal Government.

More often than not, revenues are underestimated, as they were last year, and spending likewise is greater at the end of the year than recommended by the Executive Branch.

This latter inconsistency is usually the fault of the Congress by enacting new programs and activities which have to be paid for. Some have to be paid for soon after enactment while others constitute a sort of a C.O.D. which has to be paid for three, four or five years in the future. By reason of these long-term commitments the

Congress has control over less than 30 percent of all the huge expenditures of the Government.

A Joint Committee between the House and Senate will attempt first to do its own estimating of income and set ceilings on expenditures for each program. It will then consolidate total costs according to the expected income. As it is now, these two have only a nodding acquaintance.

The purpose of the Joint Committee of the Congress is not to rely on the Executive Branch alone but to assume our Constitutional responsibility in seeing that we get back to a more sound fiscal operation.

This is all well and good if it is made to work. It will be up to Congress to make it work but the whole idea is surrounded with skepticism as to whether or not we are willing to say we will go so far and no farther.

The deficit for this fiscal year 1975 will be more than \$30 billion and unless steps are taken to get our economy in better shape, there is little doubt that it will reach more than \$70 billion in the 1976 fiscal year beginning next July 1. There is no doubt that the deficit in the next two years will be far beyond any red ink which has gone on the books in the history of our Country. The interest alone on what the Government owes is now more than \$32 billion and is one of the best examples of the more than 70 percent of "uncontrolled" expenditures.

At no time could I have chosen a less opportune time to serve on the Budget Committee between the House and Senate but I have been elected to do so, accepting it as one of the biggest challenges of a career.

With inflation and recession at the same time revenues will be off and spending continues to climb.

By the News Media, everyone knows that the President has made certain proposals for tax rebates and tax cuts ranging from \$16 to \$17 billion. Some of this loss is to be recovered by additional taxes on oil and gas. Other reduced income will result in raising the investment credit tax from the present 7 percent to 10 percent to 12 percent to encourage business to expand. It appears that some of the proposals would operate in such a way that they would give with one hand and take away with the other. What appears to be the case is that, unless there is actual expansion of plants, facilities, more exploration for oil and gas, productivity will not result. Productivity is, in the final analysis, the only answer to more employment, more goods for the consumer at cheaper prices. This is known as the law of supply and demand and no one has yet been able to beat it nor can it be repealed.

Bill Aimed At Helping Meat Industry

AUSTIN—Representative George L. Preston of Paris has introduced a bill to prohibit purchases of imported meat by state institutions.

Co-sponsors of the bill are Senators A. M. Aikin of Paris and William T. Moore of Bryan, Representatives W. S. (Bill) Healy of Paducah and John Wilson of La Grange.

Purpose of the bill is to increase the consumption of domestic meat in an attempt to aid the failing livestock industry in the state. It would affect institutions such as colleges, prisons and hospitals. Bids will be accepted only on fresh or frozen meat grown and processed in the U.S. The states of Missouri and Colorado have recently instituted such regulations.

Various livestock groups have appealed to the Federal government to institute embargoes on meat imports; however, voluntary restraints from the importing countries have been called for in most cases. Imports decreased slightly in fiscal year 1974, but beef production has increased sharply.

Another Fine
Texas Recipe

CITRUS COLE SLAW

2 oranges
1 cabbage, shredded
1 Tbsp. onion, minced
1½ tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. pepper
1/8 tsp. nutmeg
1 Tbsp. sugar
2 Tbsp. oil
2 Tbsp. fresh orange juice
1/2 tsp. celery seed
1/4 cup mayonnaise

Section oranges, reserving juices for later use. Mix cabbage and onion. Combine remaining ingredients for dressing. Toss cabbage mixture with dressing. Place slaw on lettuce leaf and top with 2 orange sections. Serve with radish roses and hard-cooked egg wedges. Yield 4-6 servings.

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Two Attend Study Course

Mrs. Robert Christian and Mrs. Dan Bogle were representatives of Holiday Lodge at the first session of a 36-hour study course for nursing home activity personnel held in Abilene over the weekend.

The course of classroom study is sponsored jointly by the Texas Nursing Home Social and Rehabilitation Directors Council and the Texas Nursing Home Associates.

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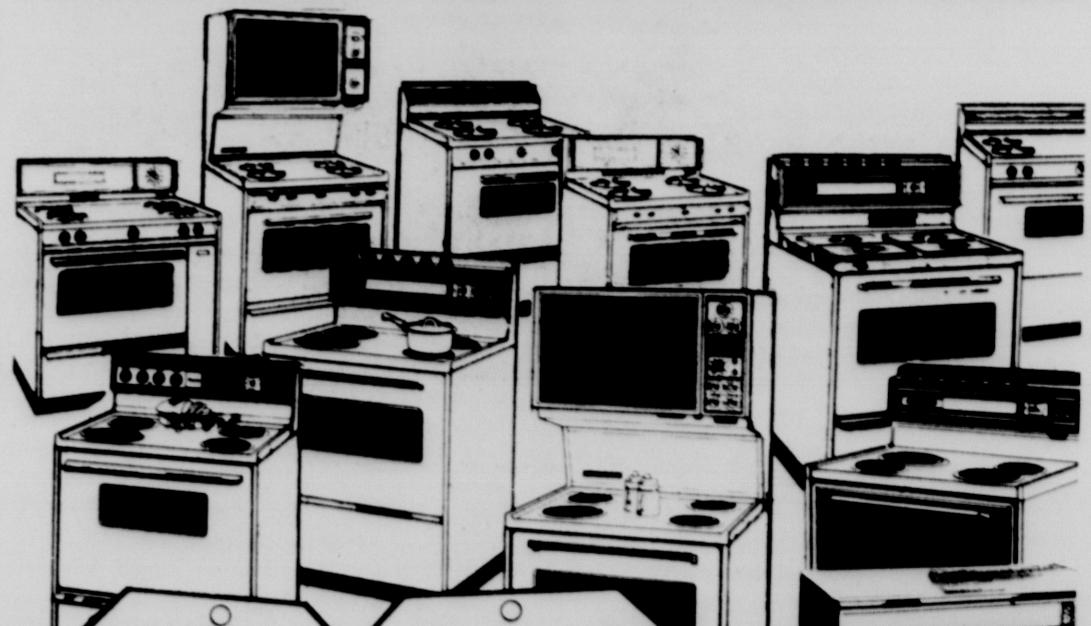
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Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to thank the police department, firemen, and all the wonderful friends for their all-out job helping to find Eddie Tuesday evening. Many thanks to you.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rodgers

CARD OF THANKS
We are truly grateful to the good friends who did so much for us during our recent sorrow. May we take this means of saying thank you for the many comforting expressions of your friendship and affection. Special thanks to the Phebean and Homemakers Classes of First Baptist Church and Order of Eastern Star for their many kindnesses.

Family of Lloyd Carter

CARD OF THANKS
The family of J. L. Kennedy wish to express their thanks to all the wonderful friends who helped with food, friendship and to care for their beloved mother and wife Ella Mae Kennedy.

CARD OF THANKS
We take this means to express our heartfelt thanks to each individual, the Eastern Star, Phebean Sunday School Class and Homemakers Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church who all brought food to our homes during the time of sorrow of our relatives.

Our blessings to all,
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gregory
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nelson

CARD OF THANKS
I would like to thank Dr. Smith and the nurses at Hamlin Hospital for all their kindness and consideration while I was in the hospital; and my special thanks for the flowers, cards, and prayers from my friends.

Carolyn Thompson

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to receive evidence on the conditions, if any, under which the amended permit may be issued, and to determine whether State Certification in accordance with Section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972 may be issued. Preliminary information available to the staff of the Texas Water Quality Board indicates that a waste discharge conforming to the conditions shown on the proposed permit would not unreasonably impair the quality of waters in the State. Proposed permit available upon request.

Additional data will be developed at the hearing, but further technical information concerning any specific aspect of the discharge, if available, can be obtained by writing the Texas Water Quality Board, P.O. Box 13246, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

FOR SALE—Over 700 coins, including Kennedy halves, Eisenhower dollars and 300 wheat-ear pennies. Call Gary Ford, 576-3950, after 3:30 p.m.

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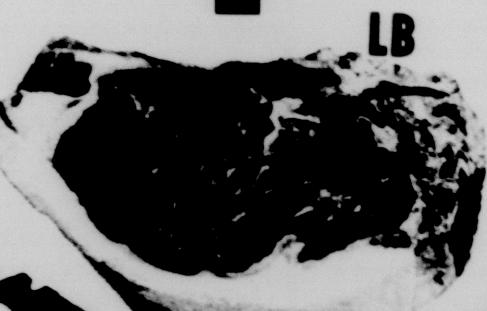
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NEWS AND VIEWS...

And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

Troy Martin, publisher of The Canyon News, in one of his recent columns points out one of the biggest problems facing newspaper publishers and editors—that of being purveyors of bad news.

Now most of us in the newspaper business in West Texas know Troy as being one who never dodges an issue and in fact probably goes out of his way to find them. But his column does point out the problems faced by all newspapers in dealing with public officials and probably the problem is greater the smaller the community. Most all of us find it easier to deal objectively with a stranger than we do a friend.

All of us at one time or another have gotten upset with some of the newsgatherers in this land of ours and justifiably so, but maybe Troy's column will give us a better understanding of the newsman's point of view.

"I've been in the newspaper business for 28 years and I've taken my share of abuse as a purveyor of bad news.

"This is not even new under the sun. In times of old the messenger who brought bad news to a potentate was immediately put to death.

"A runner once survived unspeakable hardship in crossing the frozen Russian steppes to tell Tamerlane, crippled ruler of Samarkand, that one of his armies had suffered a crushing defeat in the south.

"Crippled though he was, Tamerlane rewarded his messenger for his devotion to duty by kicking him to death on the spot.

"We simply can't fill the newspaper with stories about how Canyon High School students went to school Wednesday and no one broke the rules lending to a very peaceful day for the teachers and administrators.

"Newspapers report news about like you talk to your relatives and friends.

"What wife is going to pass up telling her husband about a juicy affair between two neighbors in order to get on with the big news that she had a wonderful nap and went to the grocery store that afternoon?

"You can be certain that your wife will tell you about the hot water heater blowing up before she will impart the news that she's had her electric range a year with no trouble at all.

"There's something else I've learned in staying alive in the business for more than a quarter century.

"By and large representatives of government from the mayor of a hamlet to the President of the U.S. expect the newspapers to be cheerleaders. They are surprised and hurt when the media gets on with reporting the facts instead of trying to make the administration look good.

"If the media is really working, all the closed meetings in the world are not going to keep it from getting the news. If anything it is going to call attention to something not being quite right with the body that feels it must meet beyond the ears and eyes of those footing the bill.

"Richard Nixon tried for months to make the world believe that Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein who began unraveling the Watergate case were no better than rabble rousers behind typewriters. But when the sordid truth finally came out, it was Nixon who was trying to create a smokescreen.

"I pride myself that The Canyon News is the natural adversary, in a professional rather than a personal manner, of every governmental agency and official, elected and appointed.

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SIGNS PRE-ENROLLMENT—Johnny Jones, outstanding athlete for the Hamlin Pied Pipers the past four years, signed a pre-enrollment application with the University of Texas Longhorns. With Johnny are his mother, Mrs. Milton Jones, and his coach, David Bonds, Hamlin High School Athletic Director. Spike Dykes, offensive line coach for the Longhorns, was here early Tuesday morning, the opening day for the signing of pre-enrollment applications.

Johnny Jones Signs With Texas Longhorns Tuesday

"We feel like we got one of the best in the country," was the statement made here Tuesday morning by Spike Dykes, offensive line coach for the University of Texas Longhorns, when he got Hamlin's Johnny Jones' name on a pre-enrollment application for the Longhorns.

Dykes was in Hamlin early Tuesday morning, the opening day for the signing of pre-enrollment applications.

Dykes said, "We expect great things from this young athlete, who we regard as being one of the top running backs not only in Texas but from coast to coast."

Dykes was only one of many college coaches to court the outstanding high school performer since his sophomore year.

Johnny, who not only is one of the top football players in the state, is also an outstanding basketball and track performer. He was first named All-District in his freshman year in football and has repeated this honor each of the following three years. He has been named All-Area for three years and All-State twice.

Johnny helped to lead the Pipers to two State Championships in track and has won the State AA title in the 100-yard dash the past two years and placed second in the 220-yard dash his sophomore year and first his junior year. His best clocked time in the 100 is a 9.5.

In his four years of high school football here in Hamlin, Johnny has helped lead his

team to three district titles and one bi-district title. He has an 8.8 yard rushing average for his four years with his best year coming as a junior when he averaged 10.6 yards per carry.

He played in 42 games during his four years and carried the ball 665 times for 5,849 yards. His top rushing year was again his junior year when he carried the ball 211 times for 2,246 yards. As a freshman Johnny carried the ball 101 times for 694 yards, an average of 6.9. During his sophomore year he made 151 trips with the ball for 1,410 yards with an average of 9.3 per carry and as a senior he picked up 1,672 yards in 196 tries for an average of 8.5.

During his four years he went well over the 1,000-yard mark three times—1,410 in 1972, 2,246 in 1973, and 1,672 yards in 1974.

Johnny's longest run from scrimmage came in 1972 against Stamford when he went 90 yards for a touchdown. While he saw only limited action as a kickoff and punt returner he returned a kickoff against Colorado City in 1972 for 80 yards and a punt for 70 yards against Clyde in 1973.

His best single games were 25 carries for 270 yards against Stamford in 1973, 25 carries for 284 yards against Ballinger in 1973, 14 carries for 269 yards against Anson in 1973, and 27 carries for 316 yards against Cisco in 1974.

Baird Takes Both Titles In JV Tournament Here

Baird captured both championship trophies here Saturday evening in the Hamlin Junior Varsity tournament with two-point victories over the Hamlin JV teams. The Baird girls defeated Hamlin, 32-30, for the girls championship and then the Baird boys edged out the Hamlin "A" JV's in the

finals, 56-54.

Albany won both consolation trophies as their girls defeated Aspermont, 44-31, and their boys defeated Colorado City, 55-50.

The first round of play got underway here last Thursday with the Baird girls defeating Aspermont, 46-26. This was followed by the Baird boys taking the Aspermont boys, 63-41. The Rotan girls defeated Albany, 45-40, and then the Rotan boys defeated Albany, 39-38. The Hamlin "A" team (the regular Hamlin JV team) defeated Old Glory, 73-38, and in the final game of the evening, the Hamlin "B" team defeated Colorado City, 75-39.

In the second round play here Saturday morning, Albany boys defeated Old Glory, 62-34, and then the Hamlin girls defeated Rotan, 44-33. In the next game Colorado City defeated Aspermont, 68-59, and this

Oak Grove Sets Dinner

A dinner will be served Saturday evening beginning at 5:30 p.m. sponsored by the Oak Grove Baptist Church Sunday School. Mrs. Louberta Maxwell is superintendent.

The dinner will be served in Fellowship Hall. The menu will be fried chicken, peas and carrots, potato casserole, tossed salad, Louberta's hot rolls, assorted pies, iced tea and coffee. Plates will be \$2.25 each.

TO HOST COAHOMA—

Hamlin to Put Titles On Line Here Friday

District 6-AA title hopes for the Pipers and Piperettes will be on the line here Friday night when they host Coahoma. Both teams will go into the game Friday evening undefeated in second round play and both Hamlin teams need a victory to make it into a playoff game with the first round winners.

Both squads captured victories over Anson Tuesday evening on the Tiger's home court to stay in contention for a spot in the Bi-District playoffs. Anson and Coahoma tied in the first round of boys play and would have to play off the tie if the Pipers win over Coahoma and then defeat Colorado City the following Friday. The winner of the Anson-Coahoma game then would play the Pipers for a Playoff berth.

Coahoma won the first round in the girls bracket and a win by the Piperettes here Friday night would put the two teams in a contest to decide the representative in the Playoffs. The game here Friday with Coahoma will be the final district contest for the girls as they defeated Colorado City before the Christmas holidays.

Four Pipers made it in double figures as they edged out the Anson Tigers Tuesday, 67-64, with Delbert

Jackson 16, Reeves 6, Tubbs 5, Watkins 2 and Watts 5.

The Piperettes were tied with Anson at the end of the first and second periods but then pulled away for a 56-47 victory to keep their second round record intact. The Piperettes had four girls in double figures as Kathy Hooper led with 19, Alberta Cork 14, Elizabeth Hooper 12 and Kimi Mehaffey 9.

Anson won the Boys Junior Varsity game, 54-51.

SBDC Seeks Area Aging Coordinator

The Small Business Development Center is taking applications through Feb. 17 for an Aging Service Coordinator for Stonewall, Haskell, Knox and Jones Counties, according to Oscar Dickerson, SBDC director.

Applicants will be working with these communities in developing programs and services for citizens over the age of 60 years through the government's program on Aging.

Applications may be obtained through the SBDC office in Aspermont at 817-989-2528.

Salary is to be set according to qualifications, no experience is necessary and is equal opportunity employer, he said.

Scouts Given Flag During Program Here

The local Boy Scout Troop received a United States flag from the Woodmen of the World here Monday night during a Court of Honor ceremony. The presentation was made by Mike Rish who also gave a presentation on the history of the flag.

Local scouts who received rank advancements during the Court of Honor were Steven Campbell, second class; Don Pearce, second class; Claud Scifres, second class; Wayne Wheat, second class; Tim Hawkins, first class; and Russell Cary, Star rank.

During the meeting Scoutmaster Samuel C. Ferguson named Steve Carriker as the new assistant Scoutmaster for the troop.

Attending the ceremonies as guests were: Mrs. George Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, Ernest Jenkins, Randy Smith, and Earl Wishom, District Scout Executive of Abilene.

Here Today

Claude Thompson, missionary to Japan, and his wife will be featured at 7:30 p.m. today (Thursday) at United Pentecostal Church, 219 N.E. Ave. A.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the church is extending an invitation to all to hear the missionaries. Mrs. Arthur Crabb is auxiliary president.

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Playing here Friday night, the Pipers defeated Winters, 64-46, with Johnny Jones hitting for 24 points. Others scoring for the Pipers were: Rowland 2, Brown 8, Offield 2, Pharris 2, Rodgers 2, Thompson 21, and Reynolds 3.

The Piperettes defeated Winters 65-43, with Alberta Cork scoring 26 points to take the scoring honors. Also scoring for the Piperettes were: K. Hooper 20, E. Hooper 2, Covington 3, Gregory 2, Hollis 2, and Mehaffey 9.

Hamlin won the Boys JV game, 56-29.

Buford Bigham Enters City Council Race

Buford Bigham filed Tuesday afternoon for a spot on the Hamlin City Council.

Bigham is an engineering technician with the Texas Highway Department. He has been employed by THD for 23 years.

The three incumbents seeking reelection are A. E. Killion Jr., Robert Fowler and Mike Byerly. Byerly was recently appointed to fill the unexpired term of George Campbell who resigned.

Anyone desiring to file for a place on the ballot may contact John Steele, City Secretary, at City Hall.

Childhood Appraisal Available

Early Childhood Appraisal evaluation services will be made available through the Tri-County Education Coop, at the elementary school, Feb. 17, 18, 20 and 21. Screening will include 3-4-and 5-year old children not presently enrolled in kindergarten.

Purpose of the screening is to determine strengths or weaknesses in developmental areas of language, motor skills, and/or auditory and visual perception. In the event a child shows a need for supervised developmental activities, a certified teacher will be available to assist in the child's training.

It is felt these evaluations are a must for all 5-year-old children not presently enrolled in school and very valuable in checking 3-and 4-year-old children on their readiness for entry into school.

As many children as possible will be contacted by the school to assign an appointment time. Anyone not contacted should call 576-3191 for an appointment for their child.

Elementary Basketball Tourney Set

The first Elementary Basketball Tournament will be held in the Hamlin gymnasium next Tuesday and Thursday, according to Coach Bill Grissom. Sixteen teams from the local Elementary School will be competing in the tourney with eight games scheduled each of the two nights.

Both the fourth and fifth grades will field four boys teams and four girls teams in the tourney with the action set to start at 5 each evening.

SHOPLIFTING MEANS...



YOU'RE BEING ROBBED!

Everyone pays for shoplifting. Even the shoplifter.

More than three billion dollars worth of merchandise is shoplifted each year from retail stores throughout the nation. To combat this staggering loss, millions of dollars are being spent by merchants for security guards, store detectives and electronic security systems. Police and court costs increase. To make up for the total shoplifting loss and security expense, we all pay higher prices. Increased court and police costs come out of our taxes.

The shoplifter is really robbing himself.

When a shoplifter makes a legitimate purchase, he pays the higher prices along with the rest of us. And his taxes help to support the higher police and court costs, too. But the shoplifter steals from himself in much more important ways. Advanced security systems mean more arrests and that means increased chances that the shoplifter will be caught. Here's where the shoplifter is really robbing from himself. He can go to jail. He may pay a large fine and court costs. His conviction for the crime of shoplifting

may become a permanent criminal record for the rest of his life. Since the average shoplifter is 14 to 18 years old, his criminal record may close many opportunities to him in the future. He may be turned down by a college or professional school. He may be turned down for a job. He may be turned down for a business for professional license. He may not even be able to travel to a foreign country. All because he has a criminal record. A record for the criminal act of shoplifting may haunt the shoplifter for the rest of his life—even if the item stolen was only a ten cent candybar.

Shoplifting is a crime.

The penalty for shoplifting varies, but all states regard shoplifting as a criminal act. Conviction of shoplifting can be punishable by 6 months to 7 years in prison or fines of \$500.00 to \$2000.00, or both a fine and prison term. **When the shoplifter commits his crime, he is stealing. He is robbing the store. His family. His friends. The entire community. And the shoplifter is robbing himself.**



4-H TV SERIES—The 4-H Foods and Nutrition Series, "Mulligan Stew," will be shown on KTXS-TV at 11 a.m. Saturday and will continue for six weeks.

Special 4-H TV Series To Be Aired

A special 4-H Foods and Nutrition series called "Mulligan Stew" will be shown in this area by KTXS-TV, according to Neicy Wilburn, assistant County Extension Agent. The hour long show will be presented at 11 a.m. beginning this Saturday and will continue for six weeks.

The film is being provided by the Agricultural Extension Service of Texas and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Boys and girls who enroll in the TV series will be considered a member of Mulligan Stew 4-H Club, according to the agent.

Each child who enrolls will receive a member guide which provides numerous activities to reinforce and extend the educational value of the series. At the conclusion of the series, each child will be eligible for a completion certificate. Those interested are urged to contact their school teacher.

Homemakers See Fashion Show Monday

Four members of the Young Homemakers modeled fashions for the busy housewife at the Monday evening salad supper.

Mrs. Larry McCoy represented the cleaning housewife; Mrs. Ronnie Jeffrey modeled the perfect outfit for a night out; Mrs. Freddie Hubbard modeled sport clothes and Mrs. Roy Pritchard wore a peignoir set to represent the end to a perfect day.

Others attending were Mmes. Paul Frazier, Bobby Self, Mac Reid, Herman Daniell, David Giddings, Robert Moore, Joe Carter, and advisor Mrs. Pat Willoughby and a visitor, Mrs. Paul Spalding.

Texas Department of Agriculture home economists recommend adding basil, mace, marjoram, nutmeg or oregano to spinach for a gourmet touch.

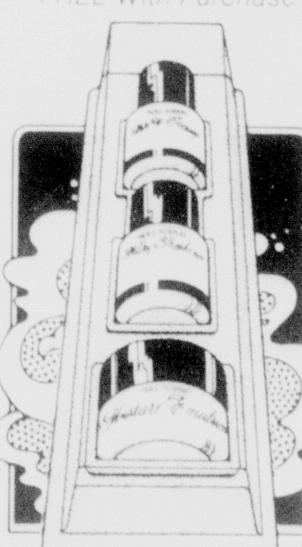
Favorite Recipes

by Barbara Craig

This week's recipe is one for a moist chocolate cake that is made quite often by Mrs. Bryon Swank. She gives tips to buy buttermilk early so that it is more aged and well curdled. Also, the cake is stored in an airtight container and refrigerated. It becomes more moist the longer it is kept, she said.

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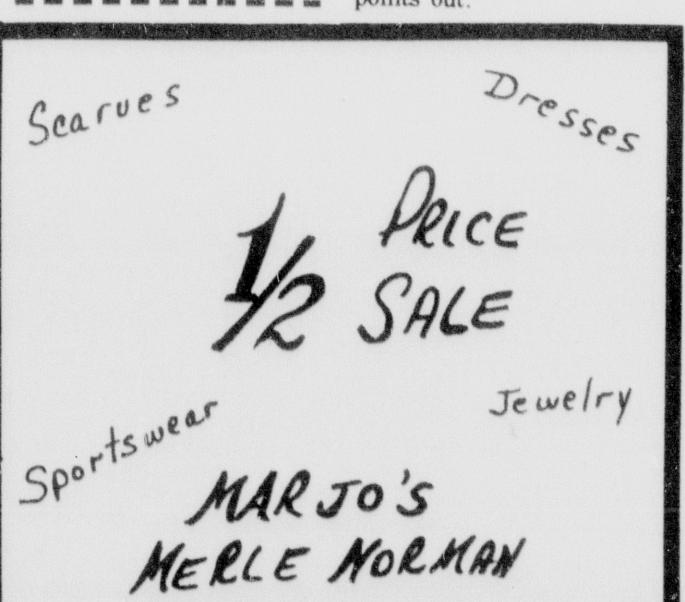
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Literary Club To Host Tea Here Friday

Members of Woman's Literary Club will host a Valentine Tea Friday at 2 p.m. at Holiday Lodge.

The program will include fellowship, music and poetry. Mrs. B.V. Newberry will be program director. Mrs. Lloyd Burkhardt will give the invocation. Mrs. E.E. Monkers will provide music and Mrs. Donald Young will present poetry.

Mrs. L.B. Bruner and Mrs. Arnold Griffin are in charge of arrangements. Refreshments will be under the direction of Mrs. Archie Carson Jr. and Mrs. Virgil Steele.

Mrs. Weaver Gives LVNA Program Here

Members of the Hamlin Licensed Vocational Nurses Association, Div. 73, met Monday evening for a program presented by Mrs. O.H. Weaver Jr., local pharmacist.

Mrs. Fred Teichelman, president, presided. The LVNA of Texas seminar to be held Feb. 20-21 in Austin was announced. Co-sponsor of the program Feb. 21 on nursing care of the respiratory patient is the American Lung Association of Texas.

Open to all medical personnel, the program has been approved for 4.0 contact hours CE credit.

The Feb. 20 session is programmed for LVNA officer training and association activity. The afternoon session will be on child abuse.

Anyone desiring to register should contact the local president at 576-2596. Others attending the Monday meeting were Avis Teague, Carmon Herring, Elsie McCormack, Effie Miller, Annette Stuart, Toad Brown, Lettie Allen, Zelma Smith, Barbara Penaluna, and Martha Goolsby.

The Parent-Teachers Association is emphasizing the merits of good citizenship by recognizing those students who display the qualities that a good citizen should have.

Certificates for the February Citizens of the Month were given in the following grades: Kindergarten - Tammy Piske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Piske; First Grade - Michael Howerton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Howerton; Second Grade - Dave Byerly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Byerly; Third Grade - Virginia Romero, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfredo Romero; Fourth Grade - David Casey, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Casey; Fifth Grade - Susan Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watts.

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Attending were Mmes. Earl Brown, T.C. Gregory, B.B. Colwell, Elmer Terrell, Arnold Griffin, A.A. Hackley and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonner.

Hostesses will be Mmes. W.E. Blount, B.B. Colwell and B.H. Gardner.

David Giddings, minister of the Hamlin Church of Christ, will be the speaker.

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FROM THE FILES . . .

TWENTY YEARS AGO
(February 4, 1955)

Final work has been done on the big water filtration plant of the City of Hamlin at the pump station, two blocks west of the Santa Fe Railway depot, according to city officials.

Hamlin High School freshmen, who have commanded the two previous honor rolls issued for the 1954-55 school term, fell before the juniors and sophomores on the third six-week honor roll released last week by High School Principal B.V. Newberry.

Plasterers and painters this week were giving the O.D. Dillingham building, occupied by the City Hall, the Style Shop and the Western Ice Company a "face-lifting."

Benefit dance sponsored by the Witt Cabin Square Dance group for the March of Dimes given Saturday night netted \$107.10, according to Mr. and Mrs. I.R. Witt directors.

Eddie Blackwell, who makes his home at Lubbock with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Miller, last week enlisted for service in the U.S. Air Force. He formerly was a Hamlin resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kiser of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bond and children visited with their son and brother, John Jenkins and family near Levelland Sunday.

They attended the morning worship service of the Hodges Baptist Church, where Rev. Jenkins is pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green Jr. and son, Johnny, of Austin were here over the weekend visiting with relatives and friends. Young Green is attending the law school at the University of Texas.

TEN YEARS AGO
(February 4, 1965)

The Hamlin Piperettes will be one of 16 teams to compete in the 13th annual invitational tournament for girls at Hardin-Simmons University Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Otho Polk, tournament director, has announced.

The Pipers were knocked out of any chance for the District 5-AA title here Tuesday night when they were defeated by the Winters Blizzards, 80-66. The Winters win put them

Neinda Philosopher Gets Riled Up Over Government Work Statistics

(Editor's note: The Neinda Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Route One claims he has found a new statistic, at least it's new to him.)

Dear editor:

I never have understood how the government economists can figure out down to the last decimal point what the cost of living index was last month. You know, say it went up 8.1 per cent, compared with 7.03 per cent the month before. Things like that.

I suppose the figures are gotten up by school teachers who can tell you that the top student's knowledge after four years of high school stands at 94.5 compared with the next in line or salutatorian's at 94.4. It's an exact science and leave it at that. Don't be checking up to see how things turned out ten years after graduation.

Anyway, those are statistics you can take or leave but there's another batch that has me puzzled. Government statisticians have just announced that productivity by the country's whole work force declined 5.1 per cent during the last three months of 1974.

How did the government get those figures? You talk about the C.I.A. snooping on private citizens, you mean to say somebody has been checking up on me and can tell you what my production level was during October, November and December of last year?

back in the lead for the honors with a 7-2 record.

"Founders Day" will be observed by the Hamlin Elementary Parent-Teacher Association at the meeting today at 4 p.m. in the primary cafeteria.

The West Texas Barrel Racing Association will meet here Feb. 21 for their monthly barrel race meet. Some 50 to 60 girls are expected to be here for the event to be held at the Hamlin Riding Club arena.

Representative Roy Arledge of Stamford has been appointed to five standing committees in the Texas House of Representatives by Speaker Ben Barnes this week. Arledge was assigned to Interstate Cooperation, Chairman; Livestock and Stock Raising; Motor Traffic; Oil, Gas and Mining; State Affairs.

The West Texas State University Stage Band Festival in Canyon Saturday will be the first competitive event of this year's twenty-one piece Piper stage band.

Friday morning twelve boys left on the annual FFA educational tour. The tour this year was to the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show.

NEWS AND VIEWS . . .

And What Have You

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"When anyone dons the purple what he does becomes very much the business of those who might be affected by his actions. Whether we supported him or not in his bid for office, it becomes our job to report on those actions and let the chips fall.

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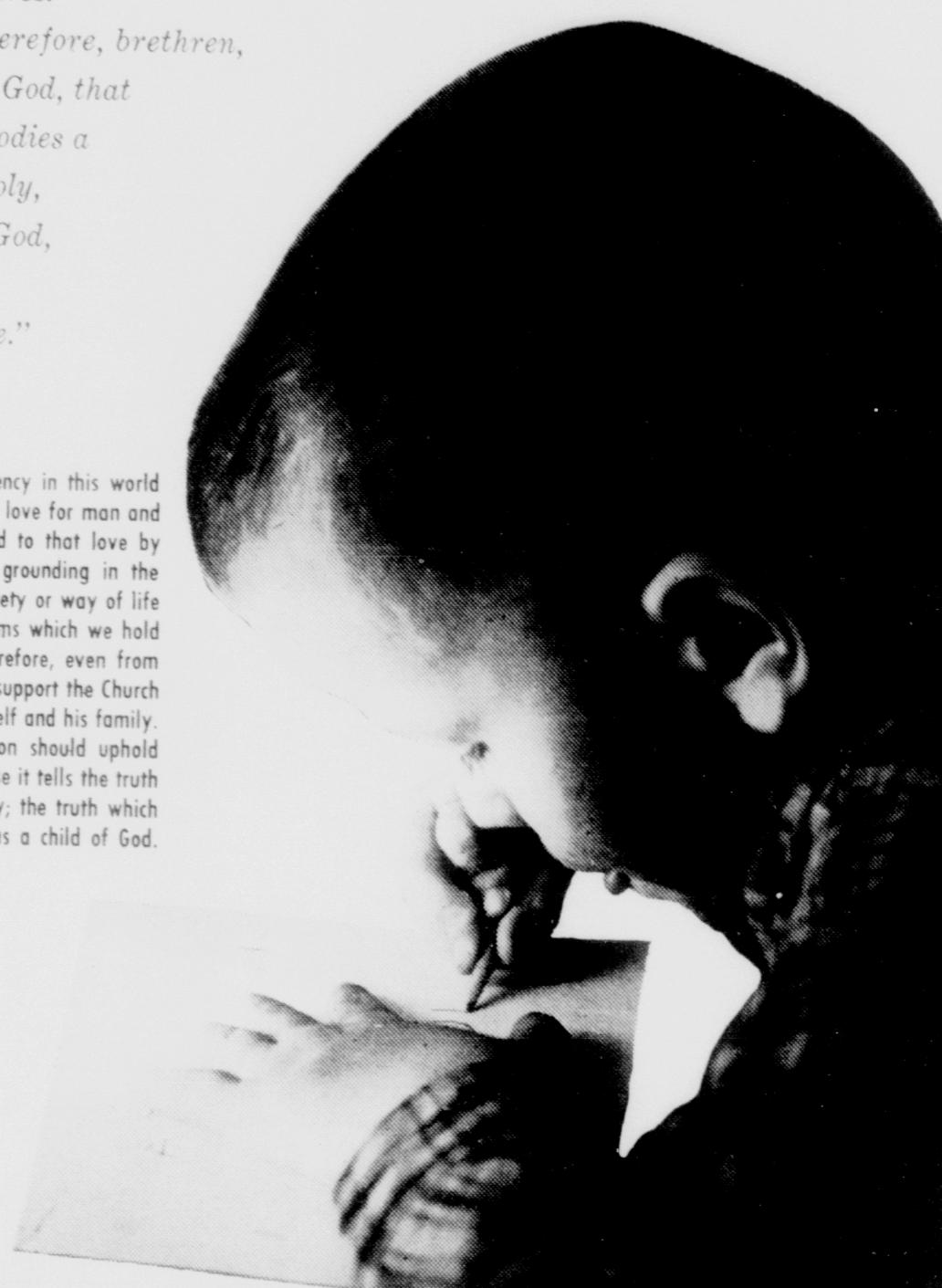
The Lord expects us to put forth an effort to improve ourselves.

"I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service."

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.



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Prayer Service 6:00 p.m.

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

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WEDNESDAY

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

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Bible Class 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

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Rev. Howard J. Jones

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.

Training Union 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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Church

Rev. James W. Smith

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.

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Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

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**NEWS FROM
OLD GLORY**

By BERNICE D. WHITE

Slow rains have been falling over this area during the weekend, and if we have a groundhog, he most certainly didn't see his shadow Sunday. There wasn't even one speck of sunshine at any time during the day.

Telephones have been on the blink, probably caused by the damp weather, therefore we are even more unaware than usual as to what is going on in the community.

Mrs. Charlie Letz hosted the Old Glory Variety Club in her home on Tuesday of last week. Eleven members were present. This included one

new member, Mrs. Tony Letz. Mrs. Letz joined the club at the previous meeting held in the home of Mrs. Allen Letz.

Three visitors were also present. They were Mrs. Louis Spitzer, Mrs. Jack Jones and Miss Kim Beil, who is here from Nevada visiting in the home of her grandmother.

After the business meeting the ladies enjoyed games of bridge, dominoes, and also refreshments.

Mrs. Garrett Spitzer will be the hostess for the next meeting Tuesday, Feb. 11.

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As It Looks From Here

OMAR BURLESON, M. C.

17th District, Texas
Washington, D. C.—On several occasions during the last Congress we discussed in this column the creation of a Joint House-Senate Budget Committee which has as its purpose a review in advance of spending levels of the Federal Government for the following year.

That Committee is now organized and expects to begin its studies and deliberations in the weeks ahead.

This effort is the next best thing to a Constitutional Amendment proposed by a number of us here in the Congress which would put the Government on a "pay as you go" basis. Such a Constitutional Amendment would be similar to that which we have in our own State of Texas, except there must be provided a waiver of such requirement in times of national emergency such as war.

To restate what has been said before, the purpose of the Committee is to set ceilings on expenditures related to revenues received in all forms of taxation. At the present time, revenues are estimated in the President's budget in the early part of the year and we will get those figures on February 3. In the same message, the President will lay out the amounts to be spent for the numerous programs of the Federal Government.

More often than not, revenues are underestimated, as they were last year, and spending likewise is greater at the end of the year than recommended by the Executive Branch.

This latter inconsistency is usually the fault of the Congress by enacting new programs and activities which have to be paid for. Some have to be paid for soon after enactment while others constitute a sort of a C.O.D. which has to be paid for three, four or five years in the future. By reason of these long-term commitments the

To get the whole meat out of pecans, put them in boiling water for a few minutes. Remove from heat and let stand for about 10 minutes. Then crack each end of the nut and the meat will slide out without breaking, according to Marilyn Haggard, foods and nutrition specialist

Congress has control over less than 30 percent of all the huge expenditures of the Government.

A Joint Committee between the House and Senate will attempt first to do its own estimating of income and set ceilings on expenditures for each program. It will then consolidate total costs according to the expected income. As it is now, these two have only a nodding acquaintance.

The purpose of the Joint Committee of the Congress is not to rely on the Executive Branch alone but to assume our Constitutional responsibility in seeing that we get back to a more sound fiscal operation.

This is all well and good if it is made to work. It will be up to Congress to make it work but the whole idea is surrounded with skepticism as to whether or not we are willing to say we will go so far and no farther.

The deficit for this fiscal year 1975 will be more than \$30 billion and unless steps are taken to get our economy in better shape, there is little doubt that it will reach more than \$70 billion in the 1976 fiscal year beginning next July 1. There is no doubt that the deficit in the next two years will be far beyond any red ink which has gone on the books in the history of our Country. The interest alone on what the Government owes is now more than \$32 billion and is one of the best examples of the more than 70 percent of "uncontrolled" expenditures.

At no time could I have chosen a less opportune time to serve on the Budget Committee between the House and Senate but I have been elected to do so, accepting it as one of the biggest challenges of a career.

With inflation and recession at the same time revenues will be off and spending continues to climb.

By the News Media, everyone knows that the President has made certain proposals for tax rebates and tax cuts ranging from \$16 to \$17 billion. Some of this loss is to be recovered by additional taxes on oil and gas. Other reduced income will result in raising the investment credit tax from the present 7 percent to 10 percent to 12 percent to encourage business to expand. It appears that some of the proposals would operate in such a way that they would give with one hand and take away with the other. What appears to be the case is that, unless there is actual expansion of plants, facilities, more exploration for oil and gas, productivity will not result. Productivity is, in the final analysis, the only answer to more employment, more goods for the consumer at cheaper prices. This is known as the law of supply and demand and no one has yet been able to beat it nor can it be repealed.

Bill Aimed At Helping Meat Industry

AUSTIN—Representative George L. Preston of Paris has introduced a bill to prohibit purchases of imported meat by state institutions.

Co-sponsors of the bill are Senators A. M. Aikin of Paris and William T. Moore of Bryan, Representatives W. S. (Bill) Heatly of Paducah and John Wilson of La Grange.

Purpose of the bill is to increase the consumption of domestic meat in an attempt to aid the failing livestock industry in the state. It would affect institutions such as colleges, prisons and hospitals. Bids will be accepted only on fresh or frozen meat grown and processed in the U.S. The states of Missouri and Colorado have recently instituted such regulations.

Various livestock groups have appealed to the Federal government to institute embargoes on meat imports; however, voluntary restraints from the importing countries have been called for in most cases. Imports decreased slightly in fiscal year 1974, but beef production has increased sharply.

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Two Attend Study Course

Mrs. Robert Christian and Mrs. Dan Bogle were representatives of Holiday Lodge at the first session of a 36-hour study course for nursing home activity personnel held in Abilene over the weekend.

The course of classroom study is sponsored jointly by the Texas Nursing Home Social and Rehabilitation Directors Council and the Texas Nursing Home Associates.

**Another Fine
Texas Recipe**

CITRUS COLE SLAW

2 oranges
1 cabbage, shredded
1 Tbsp. onion, minced
1/4 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. pepper
1/8 tsp. nutmeg
1 Tbsp. sugar
2 Tbsp. oil
2 Tbsp. fresh orange juice
1/2 tsp. celery seed
1/4 cup mayonnaise

Section oranges, reserving juices for later use. Mix cabbage and onion. Combine remaining ingredients for dressing. Toss cabbage mixture with dressing. Place slaw on lettuce leaf and top with 2 orange sections. Serve with radish roses and hard-cooked egg wedges. Yield 4-6 servings.

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COPPER CARROT PENNIES

2 lbs. (4 cups) sliced carrots
1 medium green pepper
1 medium onion
1 10-ounce can tomato soup
1/4 cup salad oil
1 cup sugar
3/4 cup vinegar
1 tsp. prepared mustard
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
Salt and pepper to taste

Boil carrots in salted water until fork tender. Set aside to cool. Cut green pepper into 1/4-inch rings and slice onion crosswise. Layer vegetables alternately in dish. Combine and blend soup, salad oil, sugar, vinegar, prepared mustard, Worcestershire sauce and salt and pepper. Pour over vegetables and refrigerate. Yield: 10 servings.

For additional recipes write Commissioner John C. White, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Tex. 78711.

Hearth Safety

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We would like to thank the police department, firemen, and all the wonderful friends for their all-out job helping to find Eddie Tuesday evening. Many thanks to you.
Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rodgers

CARD OF THANKS
We are truly grateful to the good friends who did so much for us during our recent sorrow. May we take this means of saying thank you for the many comforting expressions of your friendship and affection. Special thanks to the Phebean and Homemakers Classes of First Baptist Church and Order of Eastern Star for their many kindnesses.
Family of Lloyd Carter

CARD OF THANKS
The family of J. L. Kennedy wish to express their thanks to all the wonderful friends who helped with food, friendship and to care for their beloved mother and wife Ella Mae Kennedy.

CARD OF THANKS
We take this means to express our heartfelt thanks to each individual, the Eastern Star, Phebean Sunday School Class and Homemakers Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church who all brought food to our homes during the time of sorrow of our relatives.

Our blessings to all.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gregory
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nelson

CARD OF THANKS
I would like to thank Dr. Smith and the nurses at Hamlin Hospital for all their kindness and consideration while I was in the hospital; and my special thanks for the flowers, cards, and prayers from my friends.
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to receive evidence on the conditions, if any, under which the amended permit may be issued, and to determine whether State Certification in accordance with Section 401 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972 may be issued.

Preliminary information available to the staff of the Texas Water Quality Board indicates that a waste discharge conforming to the conditions shown on the proposed permit would not unreasonably impair the quality of waters in the State. Proposed permit available upon request.

Additional data will be developed at the hearing, but further technical information concerning any specific aspect of the discharge, if available, can be obtained by writing the Texas Water Quality Board, P. O. Box 13246, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

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In addition to his ranching interests, he was a member of the board of directors of First National Bank in Stamford.

Lucille, two sons, Arche Pardue Jr. of Dallas and Bert Pardue of Seymour; one daughter, Mrs. Charles (Nancy) Vaden of Burleson; six grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. James Maberry.

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CECIL SELLERS, PRESIDENT

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Farabee Cautions Against Excessive State Spending

Austin—30th District Senator Ray Farabee has expressed his concern over excessive legislative spending. Farabee, who is a member of the Senate Finance Committee, said he feels there needs to be careful consideration of any spending and further indicated his support for Lt. Governor Hobby's plan to create a reserve fund for state government.

Senator Farabee emphasized that "...the creation of such a fund is good business sense, and that's the kind of thinking needed to keep this state out of financial trouble."

Senator Farabee also lauded Governor Briscoe's

proposal to reduce state employees by five per cent.

Explaining that such reductions would be accomplished through attrition and not firings, Farabee said, "I believe state employees would benefit from such a policy since the state would have more money to bring about future pay raises instead of increasing payrolls beyond what is needed for efficient state government."

The turnover rate among state employees is approximately 24 per cent annually.

One of the major problems facing West and North Texas is a lack of water. Commenting on the problem Farabee said, "I agree with the Governor that the water problem has to be dealt with before it becomes a situation similar in proportion to the energy crisis."

Many important issues are to be considered this session and Senator Farabee noted that a new information service is available for citizens of Jones County and the entire state. Information on the status of legislation can be obtained by simply calling 1-800-292-9693 toll free.

Services were held in Stamford Thursday for Arche E. Pardue, 63, prominent Stamford rancher and brother of Mrs. Holly Toler of Hamlin. He died at 3:30 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, at his home in Stamford.

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Mrs. Bill Rountree of Hamlin; and two brothers, Buren Carlton and Weldon Carlton, both of Hamlin.

The family requests that remembrances be made in the form of contributions to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

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Service Held

Monday for

Floyd Carlton

Floyd Carlton, 69, of Abilene, a native of Hamlin, died at 9 p.m. Friday in Hendrick Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Services were held at 10 a.m. Monday in the Episcopal Church of the Heavenly Rest. The Rev. E. P. Dentzer, rector, officiated. Burial was in Bethel Cemetery at Funston.

He was born Feb. 17, 1905. He married the former Chattie Walker Feb. 23, 1930, at Anson. The couple moved to Abilene from Hamlin in 1930.

He was a long time sales representative for Sun Supply. He was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Heavenly Rest.

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School Conducting Pre-Schooler Census Program

Larry Butler, principal of elementary school, is requesting the names and birth dates of all children born between Sept. 1, 1969, and Aug. 31, 1970, to complete the records needed for registration for kindergarten for the school year of 1975-76. "Many parents not having children already in school have not furnished this information. Please call 576-3191 to report census information on your children," Principal Butler said.

Hamlin elementary school has an Early Childhood class for children age 3 and 4 years who might experience a

learning difficulty at the time of entrance into kindergarten.

There is also a pre-kindergarten for 4-and 5-year-old children whose parents are forced to move often because of job opportunities. These children are being helped to achieve the necessary skills to place them on an equal basis with other starting kindergarten children. Because of these programs, and others in the planning stages, the school urges all parents with children under 5 years of age to call 576-3191 and give their census information.

A screening test for all 3- and 5-year-old children has been set up for Feb. 17, 18, 20 and 21. "As many children as possible will be contacted, but please call 576-3191 if your child does not receive a call within the next few days," the principal urged.

All children in need of immunizations may go to the City Hall annex (the building north of City Hall) on each third Thursday of the month from 9:30-11:00 a.m. to a state health clinic. Anyone unsure about their child's immunization record, should take all the records they have to the clinic and the nurses will check them and recommend what is needed.

Each enrolling child will need a Social Security number at the time of entrance. It is recommended that Social Security numbers be obtained for other children

HOSPITAL PATIENTS

In Hospital Wednesday:

Viola Avants
O. G. Harvey
Thelma Graham, Leuders
Mrs. Cecil Ortega, Rotan
Annie Clifton
Jessi M. Maberry
Grady Smith
Bryan Justiss, Sweetwater
Roy Embrey
Loyd Drummond
Harvey Lawlis
Effie Holden
Johnny Mac Winn, Aspermont

Ethel Cross, Aspermont
Perry Sparks
Mrs. Perry Sparks
Thelma Houghton

Dismissed Jan. 29-Feb. 4:

Carolyn Thompson
Donald Stewart
Sammy Hester
Annie Seymour
David Mullins
Alton Mayfield
Perry Workman, Aspermont

Mrs. Clyde Huff
Mrs. Bennie Smith, Jayton
James Hilliard, Roby
Mrs. Martin Carrillo, Rotan

Mrs. Warren Frazier, Aspermont

V. E. Holt
Ella Patterson
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Stage Band Activities Announced

Activities for the week for fund raising of the Hamlin Stage Band have been announced. The rummage sale in the McDonald Building continues and the weekly bake sale will be held at 10 a.m. in front of Thrif-Tee Super Market.

Bridge will also be held again Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 p.m. in the Hamlin Jaycee Community Building. Admission is \$2.00 and refreshments are free.

A new project is the sale of Cable TV connections to new customers.

Movies to be presented Saturday are Paul Bunyan, Guiseppina, and Fire Flowers of Yet Sing Low, all in color. The movies are from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Pastime Club on Southwest Second.

Richard Lee Shows Heifer At Ft. Worth

Richard Lee, Hamlin FFA member, placed fourth in his class in the 1975 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth with his registered charolais heifer. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lee.

His entry goes by the registered name of Miss TPR Lee and was calved Dec. 20, 1973, and was the second youngest in her class. The breeder of the heifer was Johnny Ragsdale of Bastrop who owns the Tora Plata Ranch at Booth, Texas.

The Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock is an annual event that draws entries from all over Texas and the United States. The show ran from Jan. 24 through Feb. 2.

All students enrolling in school for the first time must have the following immunizations: (1) the 3-shot series of diphtheria-tetanus-whopping cough, plus a booster since the fourth birthday; (2) the 3-dose series of polio, plus booster since the fourth birthday; (3) measles (rubeola) shot; (4) 3-day measles (rubella) shot. Parents must furnish proof of their child's immunizations by furnishing this information signed by a doctor, a clinic, or health nurse. No child can be enrolled without the above immunizations and a state birth certificate.

Principal Butler said, "We urge all parents with enrolling kindergarten children for the next school year to bring their children's immunization records, their birth certificate, and their Social Security number to the elementary school office as soon as possible. Also, we urge parents with any age pre-school child to call 576-3191 and give us the information on your child so he will not miss out on any programs or classes that might be available to make their beginning school an easier process."

In school if they do not have one at this time. These application cards may be secured at the post office, filled in and mailed to the Social Security office in Abilene.

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Five Hamlin FFA members took part in the Abilene Regional Livestock Show held in Abilene Jan. 19-22. The show takes entries from a 33-county area and is sponsored by the Abilene Livestock Show Association.

Showing animals were Shorty McIlwain with a Hereford steer, Steve Hastings with two barrows, David Moore with two barrows, Daniel Willis with one barrow and Rickey Goodgame with two barrows. All of the animals were sold at the show.

If you have stage fright, seek out a friendly face in the crowd and carry on your public conversation with the owner of that face, advises Dorothy Taylor, family life

A fee of \$15 is charged for all five tests and it takes about two hours for each test.

FFA Members Show Animals In Abilene

education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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A person must be eighteen (or at least 17 years old) and has been out of school one full calendar year. If a person is seventeen when the tests are taken the diploma will not be issued until the person is eighteen.

For additional information call the superintendent's office at Rule, 997-2521 or Irene Stewart, Stamford 773-3578.

FFA Taking Citrus Orders

Members of the Hamlin FFA Chapter are taking orders for oranges and grapefruit for delivery in early March. The fruit is \$6.50 per box or \$3.50 per half box. The fruit is sold as oranges, grapefruit, or mixed half and half.

All FFA members are selling the fruit. If a person is not contacted by an FFA

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MEN'S CARDIGAN AND SLEEPOVER SWEATERS—Our mens sweater business wasn't too good, but the salesmen that sold them to us had a very good business—Now we are stuck with about 3 dozen—Would you help us out on these for \$2.88?

BOY'S DENIM TWILL JACKETS—Leave your son home and come down and buy one of these lovely jackets for him because he surely won't like it. They originally came with matching pants, but someone swiped all the pants—values to \$11.00 now \$5.00 each.

BOY'S SHOES—Somehow Gary found a bunch of these awful looking shoes downstairs. They are mostly in the 3½ to 6 size range and a few in 8½ to 3 sizes. Probably won't have your size anyway so how about \$3.00 pair.

BOYS' KNIT AND BROADCLOTH SHIRTS—These have been tried on, stepped on, wadded up and most everything else, but if you could see fit to help us out on our entire stock of long sleeves you could have them for 30% off.

BOYS' BOAT OXFORDS—You would probably fall out of any boat with a pair of these on. About 30 pair in the 2½ to 6 size range left in these in one color only (Green). If color doesn't matter, how about a pair of these for \$2.00?

BEDSPREADS—about 12 of these spreads called country checks. We must have been from the country or out of our mind to buy these in the first place. Reg. \$12.95—Would you be a sucker and buy one for \$8.95?

LADIES' SHOES—Dozens of women have tried on these shoes and each time they would say: "I believe I'll look around" before I decide. You probably won't like them either, but in case you would care to look you can have a pair of these values to \$12.95 for \$5.00.

MEN'S WINTER CAPS—You smart guys that have been everywhere and seen everything—just come on down and see this bunch of caps. The worst season on caps we have had since 02—Please buy one or two—Entire stock less 40

FABRICS—You just can't fool people who sew. Probably no use fooling ourselves either. We have a full table of flannels, prints, and sportswear fabrics—Can you remember when you could buy this 2 yards for \$1.00?

LADIES AND CHILDREN'S KNIT GLOVES—Boy did we think we found a bargain when we bought these gloves to sell for \$2.98.—Sometimes it just doesn't pay to be so smart as we thought we were—want to try a pair for \$1.00

LADIES' PANTS—Want your husband to leave you? If so come down and buy a pair of these pants. He surely wouldn't be seen with you with a pair of these on. Values to \$18.95 supposedly, now \$5.00 pair.

LADIES' TOPS—Don't let the price tag of \$12.95 fool you on these ladies tops as it's easy to change tags on an item as common as blouses. We want you to know they are no bargain at \$5.00.

LADIES' SWEATERS—9 left in this group and we want you to know they certainly aren't improving with age. Some of these are marked as high as \$22.95. (We really put a high price on some of them just to see what would happen) How about taking one or two off our hands for \$5.00.

QUILTED ROBES—Any woman who would wear one of these robes must surely be mean to her husband and kids because only a woman with a don't care attitude would buy one of these values to \$17.00 robes for \$7.00.

CHILDREN'S HOUSE SHOES—The warm fuzzy wuzzy kind that the buyer always likes but the kind the customer never buys. After all they were priced up to \$3.99—Going, Going, Going—\$1.00 pair.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—What an awful crop of dresses these are. But what can you expect from a "Poor crop year" — Even the boll weevils passed these up—But what do boll weevils know about prices—Look em over at ½ price.

WINTER PURSES—About 24 of the worst looking purses you can imagine. We should have sent these to relatives for Christmas as they didn't even look good then. Mrs. Brandon says she doesn't know anyone that will buy these values to \$9.95 for \$2.00.

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member and wants some fruit, he may call chapter advisors Milburn Wink or Gary Finley to place his order.

HAD A PARTY? That's news, call the HERALD.

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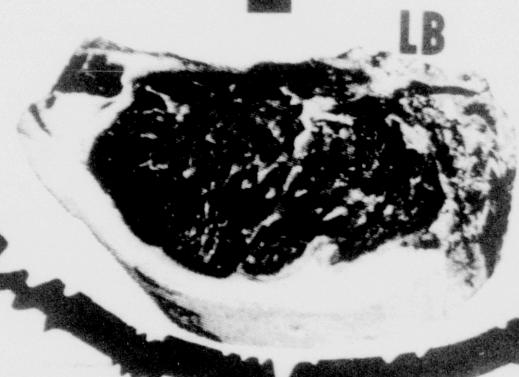
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